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TRANSPORTATION BRANCH
SERVICES DIVISION
MONTHLY REPORT FOR
OCTOBER 1958

3 November 1958

1. Accomplishments

S/TR has been asked again to review and evaluate for the Department of State, another Soviet technical paper presented to the ECE Working Group on Technical Railway Problems.

25X1A9a Miss [REDACTED] reviewed for the Branch a Geographic Area report on Polish rail transportation. This report was not in agreement with several of the estimates held by S/TR and in many respects went beyond the agreed limits for Geographic Area reporting in the field of transportation.

Branch personnel devoted considerable time this month briefing and visiting with personnel at FDD and NSA in an effort to improve relations with these units.

25X1A9a Mr. [REDACTED] briefed the Engineering Educators Exchange Group prior to its departure for the USSR.

25X1A [REDACTED] briefed members of the DD/I Senior Research Staff on International Communism at one of its inter-Agency China Committee meetings.

Personnel in TR/E completed a review and revision of existing IPC targets in transportation for the European Satellites.

25X1A9a Mr. [REDACTED] participated in inter-Agency meetings on the proposed US-Poland Highway Exchange. The USIB Ad Hoc Committee has accepted this exchange with sponsorship by the Bureau of Public Roads. The purposes of the exchange were limited to civil engineering - economic aspects and highway transport operations may be included in a later exchange to be proposed in late 1959.

2. Administration

25X1A9a Mr. [REDACTED] is on 3 weeks TDY in [REDACTED].

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25X1A9a Mrs. [REDACTED] has been named acting Branch Secretary to replace Miss [REDACTED] who is being promoted to the Intelligence Assistant position in TR/E.

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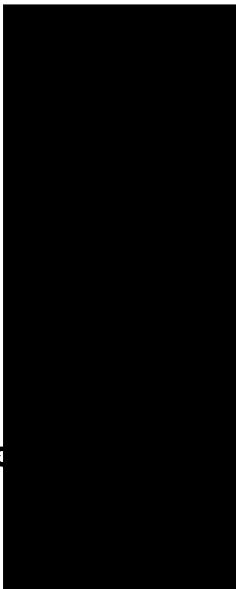
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3. Report on S/TR Research Activity

A. Projects Submitted in October

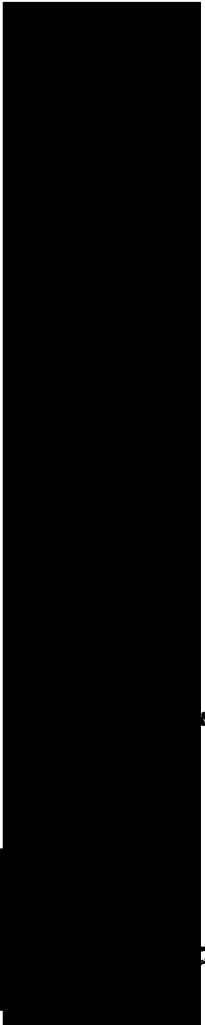
<u>Project Number</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Analyst(s)</u>
✓ 30 2431	Reexamination of Intelligence on ICBM Production and Deployment	
✓ 30.2432	Factors Affecting Soviet Deployment of Long-Range Guided Missiles	
✓ 43.2028A	List of Polish Merchant Ships According to the Polish Register	
✓ 43.1957	Demand for Rail Transportation in Soviet South Siberia	
CSM C14	Transportation of Szechwan Oil on the Yangtze	
CSM -	Expansion of Aeroflot Services	
CSM -	Polish Airlines Stress International Routes	

B. Projects Underway

<u>Project Number</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Analyst(s)</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
10.1803	Chincom NIE		
40.2068	Contribution to TP Project, East German NIS		
40.2241	Middle East Shipping		
40.2423	Telecommunications in the Soviet Arctic		
41.2046	Significant Northern Sea Route Activities		
43.1956	Transport Contribution to Chincom GM		Overdue
43.1959	EuSats Transport Systems A. East Germany B. Poland		Overdue Overdue - No

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43.2293	Standardization of Soviet Bloc Transportation		Overdue
43.2294	Polish Civil Air		
43.2295	Economic Role of Polish Merchant Shipping		25X6A
43.2296	USSR Missile Units		
43.2298	USSR Missile Launching Systems		
43.2301	Comchin Dependence on Foreign Shipping		
43.2304	Comchin Inland Water Transport		
43.2305	Transport Trends in the USSR		
43.2306	Soviet Merchant Fleet Operations		
43.2307	Pattern of POL Traffic in USSR		
43.2309	Comchin Highway Transport		
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